I am unequivocally opposed to bills HB6107 and SB1027 !!! A 'mansion' tax on properties assessed above \$300k is really out of order and places undue and additional hardship on so many families. \$300k is such a low starting point because it covers many modest homes, that are not truly mansions, but have been unrealistic assessed at higher values over the years so that more and more taxes could be squeezed out of hardworking people.

You, our current legislators, are making such broad taxation and dwelling decisions without really understanding the dynamics of your local constituencies and are hence on the verge of making an unforgettable mistake. Please reconsider these moves.

If you need other ideas on alternative ways to raise funds or how to address any other legislative challenge you are facing, ask us. We are a bastion of intellect and creativity, willing to help keep Connecticut a place where people want to come to and stay.

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